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New Legion Post Home Dedicated At Impressive Ceremonies Sunday

By Carolyn R. Miller

Members of Greenbelt Post No. 136 of the American Legion and their guests participated in ceremonies and celebration last Sunday at the dedication of the new Post Home.

Heading the list of distinguished guests was the Honorable George N. Craig, Governor of Indiana, who addressed the gathering and also officiated at the laying of the cornerstone. He was presented with a small silver trowel by the Greenbelt Post.

The program commenced with the advancement of colors by the new Color Guard of the Greenbelt Post. Mrs. Paul Cherry, president of the Auxiliary, led the pledge of allegiance. Mrs. Frances White sang the national anthem and the Reverend Eric T. Braund gave the invocation.

Frank Riley, president of the Greenbelt Post Home Corporation, introduced many guests and prominent members of the local Post.

Nelson Chapman, Post Commander, officially welcomed the guests to the Legion Home, and credited Riley and architect George Brunatti with inspiring and bringing to completion the new building. A standing ovation was paid to Riley and Brunatti at the conclusion of Chapman's remarks.

Greetings from Mayor Frank Lastner followed. Lastner said that the Legion had always been an asset to Greenbelt and that the new building located at the entrance to the city is an important contribution.

Edward D. E. Rollins, Attorney General of Maryland, brought greetings from Governor Theodore R. McKeldin. Congressman Frank Small and Benjamin J. Buckner, Commander of the Department of Maryland, offered their congratulations and best wishes to Post No. 136.

Craig Praises

In the dedicatory address, Governor Craig spoke of the civic and welfare programs of the American Legion. "The new Post Home in Greenbelt," he said, "is a token of this program."

Referring to international relations the Governor said, "America is fighting what might be called a rear-guard action in Europe and the Orient, against the inexorable march of Communism. Our own homeland is becoming the last strong fortress protecting the freedom and dignity of man, and for that reason the eyes of the world are turned on America for leadership."

He spoke of the importance of working together, of "confidence in ourselves, in one another, in Amer-

Special Registration Set For Local Voters

Four special days in September for registration for voting have been scheduled for Greenbelt by the Prince Georges County Board of Election Supervisors. Registration will take place on September 10, 15, 16, and 17 at the Center School from 6 to 9 p.m. in the evening.

The County Board, hopeful of spurring a record vote, has selected Greenbelt as one of three communities in the county to be assigned special registration dates. This action for the convenience of Greenbelt voters has been taken because of the large turnover of residents in the city during the past year.

In addition to the four special dates, a county-wide registration will take place on September 14 at the Center School from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Final deadline for registering to vote in the November election will be September 17.

In order to be eligible to register, a person must have lived in Maryland for one year and in Prince Georges County for six months prior to the November 2nd election. Further information concerning registration or voting may be obtained from Mrs. Frank J. Lastner, GR. 3-3401.

ica and of faith in God. With this confidence and this faith, we have no fear."

Following the cornerstone ceremony, Riley spoke of the hard work and cooperation of the members and also thanked the Auxiliary for their considerable help. "God Bless America" was sung by the College Park Chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America.

The program concluded with a benediction by Mr. Braund, and the retirement of colors by the Color Guard. A buffet supper was served in the Legion Hall following the ceremonies.



Governor Craig of Indiana officiates as the cornerstone of the new home of the Greenbelt Post is set in place. To the right of the Governor are Frank Riley, president of the Post Home Corporation; Congressman Frank Small, Jr.; Mayor Frank Lastner. At the far right of the picture is George Brunatti, architect of the building.

Photo by Freeman

What Goes On?

Sunday, September 12 - Fishing contest for adult members of Izaak Walton League.

Monday, September 13 - Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School and Kindergarten open.

Tuesday, September 14 - Voting Registration at Center School, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

Wednesday, September 15 - Voting Registration at Center School, 6-9 p.m.

Thursday, September 16 - Men's Bowling Group starts. Voting Registration, 6-9 p.m. First 1954 meeting of JCC Women's Group, Home Economics Room, Center School, 8:30 p.m.

Monday, September 20 - City Council meets, City Office (above Variety Store), 8 p.m.

Saturday, September 4 - Community Church bake sale, 10 a.m., at theater.

Tuesday, September 8 - GVHC Quarterly Meeting, Greenbelt Theater, 8:15 p.m. Greenbelt public schools open (Center and North End Schools). Greenbelt Lutheran kindergarten also opens.

Wednesday, September 8 - Truman Riddle Navy Wives Club meeting.

Thursday, September 9 - St. Hugh's School opens.

Friday, September 10 - GVHC board of directors meeting, Hamilton Place, 8:15 p.m. Voting registration at Center School, 6-9 p.m.

Bukzin Appointed To GVHC Board; Maintenance Commended In Survey

By Russell Greenbaum

Elliot Bukzin has been appointed to the board of directors of the Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Wayne Tucker. The board appointed Bukzin at its regular meeting on Friday, August 27, by a 7-1 vote. The name of Vane Glendening was also placed in nomination by director Hans Jorgensen. Tucker abstained from voting.

The board, upon the advice of general counsel, had previously decided to fill board vacancies by appointment rather than by a special membership election. Ironically enough, Bukzin, who served on the board last year, was beaten out this year in his bid for re-election by Tucker by a margin of a few votes.

Maintenance Matters

Frank Kriby, chairman of the maintenance committee, presented the surprising preliminary results of the cards sent out to members which query them on maintenance work performed for them. Out of the first 325 cards sent out, a total of 139 members filled them out and returned them to GVHC.

Kriby reported that 129 of these 139 stated that the work was done satisfactorily, and 115 indicated that the work was performed promptly. In addition, 130 stated that the work was completed efficiently without any waste of time. Cards will continue to be sent out to members for whom maintenance work is done.

Kriby said that GVHC members do not realize that they are paying for much more than merely the maintenance of their homes. The major cost of maintenance work is for outside work, such as grounds and sewer work. He asked Paul Campbell, GVHC manager, to determine, if possible, the percentage of the maintenance dollar that is spent on such work rather than on work involving the homes of members.

Campbell said that if the percentage spent on outside maintenance was exceptionally high, it might be more equitable to charge a flat maintenance fee rather than the present charge based on the size and type of home. He pointed

Back To School

School will begin at Center and North End Schools at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, September 7 for the first through the sixth grades. Children will report to the same rooms they were in last year. Dismissal on the first day will be around 10:30. First graders will be dismissed for the day at 12 noon and at 2:30 p.m. beginning the first of October and continuing throughout the rest of the school year. Dismissal time for other grades after the first day will be 3:30.

All new children in the community report to the auditorium on the first day, until sent to the classroom. Patrol members should contact Mr. Kovalchik in regards to duty assignment. Parents are requested not to send their children before Patrol goes on duty.

Several changes have taken place in our local schools. Center School retains Miss Hannah Long as principal. North End School has lost its popular principal, Thelma Smith, to Woodridge Elementary School, but Mrs. Maxine Grimm of Laurel will take her place. Alan Chotiner, formerly principal of Greenbelt Junior High School, will be principal of the new High Point High School in Beltsville. His replacement will be Francis Furgang, formerly vice-principal of Northwestern. With the completion of the High Point High School, Greenbelt children will no longer attend Northwestern.

out, however, that this would mean a reduction in the maintenance fee for some members but an increase for others.

New Fence Regulations

The new regulations in regard to fence were passed by the board and immediately went into effect. These regulations are not retroactive, and householders who have already completed fences which do not comply with the new rules will not be compelled to remove them. However, fences in distinct violation of the mutual homeowner's contract, which allows only lawn fences no more than 42 inches high, will have to come down.

While "lawn fences" are not clearly defined in the contract, it was felt that such fences as those made of chicken wire cannot be considered in that category. Details of the new fence regulations will appear in next week's *Cooperator* and in the next issue of the GVHC Newsletter. The new regulations were first proposed by director Al Long and prepared in final form by Campbell and Dave Kane, maintenance supervisor.

Financial Report

Director Lloyd Moore briefly summarized his quarterly fiscal report which he will present in detail at the quarterly membership meeting on Tuesday, September 7. He said that although at present there is a surplus of more than \$40,000, this is in accordance with the budget forecast.

Moore pointed that GVHC is in the process of building up a \$30,000 reserve fund for contingencies, and that the halfway mark has been reached. He added a note of warning in that GVHC's water bill was already \$10,000 in excess of the original estimate, and this did not include the exceptionally dry month of July nor August.

GVHC members are paying the same flat fee for water this year as was charged last year, although the city water rates were raised. The GVHC board decided to make up the difference this year from an anticipated savings in taxes. However, the excessive use of water is eating away these savings rapidly and may lead next year to a sharper increase in the water fee for members than already planned.

Six-month Audit Report

Campbell reported that an auditor's survey of GVHC's internal operations and accounting accuracy revealed that GVHC's system appears generally sound and accurately maintained. The auditor suggested some tightening up of accounting procedures, and Campbell declared that steps had been taken so that all accounts are now checked by personnel other than those responsible for making the entries. The auditor indicated that there were no serious defects.

Campbell reported that gutter work has been completed or was in the process of completion on about 140 units. About one-quarter of the money allotted for this purpose has already been spent. Director Bruce Bowman reported that an informal survey by a member indicated that about 300 members had already painted the outside of their homes, and about 200 homes were now undergoing painting by the members in the self-help program.

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Cakes for Drapes

A bake sale will be held in front of the theatre this Saturday, September 4, beginning at 10 a.m.

Proceeds of the sale, sponsored by the women of the Community Church, will be used for draperies in the social room.

St. Hugh's School Opens September 9

St. Hugh's Catholic School will open on Thursday, September 9. Sessions on Thursday, September 9 and Friday, September 10 will be half-day. Full-day sessions will begin on Monday, September 13, according to Sister Rita Cascia, principal of St. Hugh's.

Bank Closes Sept. 13 For 'Defenders Day'

The management of the Suburban Trust Company, Silver Spring and Hyattsville, Md., has announced that all offices of the institution will not be open for the transaction of business on Monday, September 13, in observance of Defenders' Day, a legal holiday in the State of Maryland which falls on Sunday, September 12 and will be observed on Monday.

Commencing September 11, all offices of the Suburban Trust Company will resume their usual Saturday banking hours - 8:30 until noon.

GREENBELT BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coulton, 71 S Ridge, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Clement, 24 B Crescent, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griggs, 64 L Laurel Hill, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mehegan, 7 C Parkway, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Laughlin, 11 R Laurel Hill, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burns, 9 J Southway, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McFarland, 7-E Southway, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hatton, 45-E Ridge, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tryon, 4-M Laurel Hill, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gentry, 1-F Southway, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Queen, 9-H Laurel Hill, girl.

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Committee Divides Directory Profits

Profits from the Greenbelt City Directory of close to \$1,000 were distributed among nine local organizations Thursday night by the Community Coordinating Committee, publishers of the directory.

Unsold directories, a small cash balance and accounts receivable were turned over to the Greenbelt Citizens Association by vote of the Committee.

In other action, the Committee voted its own dissolution as a separate organization. It was recommended, however, that the group, of which every organization in Greenbelt is a member, be set up as an operating committee of the Citizens Association to coordinate any projects best handled through organizations.

Organized early in 1953, before the revitalization of the Citizens Association, the primary function of the Community Coordinating Committee was the orientation of new residents in Greenbelt. A spaghetti dinner and get-acquainted party was held for new residents in 1953, but publication of the Greenbelt directory early this year has been the major project of the group. The Committee felt that a new directory was sorely needed in Greenbelt and that many organizations could profit by working on it together.

It was recommended at last week's final meeting of the Committee that future editions of a city directory be published under similar cooperative arrangements in order to permit participation of all groups in proportion to their size and effort.

Glendening Thanked

The Committee passed a special vote of appreciation for the work of Vane Glendening, GVHC representative, who acted as treasurer, bookkeeper and coordinator for the directory.

Organizations participating in the sale of advertisements and directories received the following amounts: National Council of Jewish Women \$97.48; Methodist Church \$97.85; Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School (sales only) \$67.20; Izaak Walton League (sales only) \$65.00; Greenbelt Community Band \$306.16; Jewish Community Center (ads only) \$47.00; Revenue Squad (ads only) \$60.00; Greenbelt Consumer Services (ads only) \$183.25; Community Church (ads only) \$55.00.

Other organizations represented at the final meeting were the Lions Club and the Citizens Association.

Bill Moore

Found—Righthander's baseball glove at McDonald Park. Owner may claim glove at City Office.

Local Explorers Back From Camp

Twelve Greenbelt Explorer Scouts and an adult leader were among the 29 scouts in Prince Georges District who returned August 22 from a three-week camping trip to the 127,000-acre Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimarron, New Mexico. Adviser to the group was Paul Crossan of La Plata, Maryland.

High point of their stay in the Southwest was the 11-day hike with burro pack train in mountain terrain that ranged from five to eleven thousand feet in altitude. They agreed that there was little of their scout training that was not put to the test during the trek. Enroute to and from Philmont, the group spent overnights at Air Force installations.

The Prince Georges district expedition was joined at the ranch by approximately 2500 other scouts from throughout the United States.

The Greenbelt contingent included: Assistant Adviser James T. Fowler and the following Explorers: Gordon Page, Joseph E. Donellan, Ted Kaufman, DeWayne Baron, William S. Sandilands, III, Stan Edwards, Earl J. Porter, Philip Guidry, Peter Bowman, Kenneth Hertz and Larry Voigt.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Eric T. Braund, Robert C. Hull

Ministers

A. Elizabeth Goetze

Minister of Music

Saturday, September 4: From 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Bake sale sponsored by the women of the Evening Guild, at the Center by the theater.

Sunday, September 5: Morning Worship at 10 a.m. Sermon by Mr. Hull, "An Old Testament Labor Leader." Guest organist, Mrs. Donald Kern. Church School as follows: 9 a.m., Junior Department, Social Hall; Junior High, Fellowship Center; Senior High and Adults in Church. At 10 a.m., Nursery, Fellowship Center; Kindergarten, Social Hall; Primary, Fellowship Center.

Wednesday, September 8: 8:30 p.m., Chancel Choir (Adults) Rehearsal in Church Study and Church Sanctuary.

Sunday, September 12: Winter schedule resumes with 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Morning Worship, Mr. Braund preaching. Church School at 9, 10 and 11 a.m. 8:45, General Church Council, social hall.

Monday, September 13: 10:30 a.m., Prince Georges County Ministerial Union meeting in Community Church.

Saturday, September 18: Afternoon Lawn Carnival and Fish Fry Supper. Everyone welcome.

Lutheran Kindergarten Gets New Instructor

Greenbelt Lutheran Church announces the arrival of a new kindergarten teacher and parish worker for the coming year. She is Miss Alberta Brethauer of Lakeland, Fla.

Miss Brethauer prepared for her work at Concordia Teachers College, River Forest, Ill. She has had teaching experience with St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Lakeland, where she worked last year.

Miss Brethauer replaces Miss Audrey Graunke, who served the church for the past two years. Miss Graunke returned to her home in Elmhurst, Ill., to make plans for her wedding this fall.

Miss Brethauer will begin her kindergarten classes on Tuesday, September 7. Parents interested may contact her by phoning GRanite 4-9200 or Webster 5-5996. Miss Brethauer will reside in College Park.

Fish-fry, Carnival At Church, Sept. 18

An "all-family" lawn carnival and fish-fry will be given Saturday, September 18, by the Greenbelt Community Church on the church grounds.

Starting at noon, the carnival will offer challenging attractions for all members of Greenbelt families, according to Robert E. Fisher, coordinator of the carnival program.

ST. HUGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, Pastor
GRanite 3-6911

Confessions: Saturday afternoon from 4 to 5:30 for children and in the evening from 7 to 9 p.m. for adults.

Sunday: Masses: 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. This is Communion Sunday for members of the Society at the 7:30 Mass. Teen-Age Sodalis will receive at the 8:30 Mass.

Baptisms: Sunday, 1 p.m. Please contact Father Dowgiallo beforehand.

Wednesday: Miraculous Medal Novena at 8 p.m., followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Thursday, September 9: St. Hugh's School resumes classes for the fall semester at 9 a.m.

New Numbers

St. Hugh's Rectory: GRanite 3-5911

St. Hugh's Convent: GRanite 3-4941

St. Hugh's School: GRanite 3-4081 (during school session only)

GREENBELT LUTHERAN

Edward H. Birner, Pastor

Phone: GRanite 4-9233

Sunday, September 5: 9:45 a.m., Sunday School and adult Bible class. Classes are held for all age groups. Raymond Carriere, superintendent. 8:30 and 11 a.m., Church services. Sermon by the pastor. A nursery is maintained for the benefit of parents with small children. Visitors are always welcome.

Tuesday, September 7: 9 a.m., Kindergarten begins. 7:30 p.m., Boys interested in becoming scouts meet at the church. Bowling begins for all young people of the church.

Thursday, September 9: 8 p.m., Vestry meets at the church.

New Numbers

Birner, E. H. Rev., 18-L Ridge 9238

Greenbelt Lutheran Church, 22 Ridge, 9200

New Youth Counsellors

Replacing Mrs. Ernest Muller as counselor and coordinator of the Community Church Youth Fellowship Program will be Harold Hufendieck for the coming year. Counselor to the Junior High Fellowship will be Mrs. Ann Braund, with Lloyd Moore as associate counselor. Mrs. Dorothy Pehl will be counselor of the Senior High Fellowship with Bruce Bowman as associate counselor.

Mrs. Muller moved this week to Ithaca, N. Y., where Dr. Muller will teach at Cornell University.

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THERE IS STILL TIME for a few parents to enroll a child in Greenbelt Lutheran Kindergarten. Classes begin Tuesday, Sept. 7. Tuition: \$10.00 a month. Transportation may be provided. For information, call: GRanite 4-9200, 4-9238, or WEbster 5-5996.

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FOUND at swimming pool — one Girl Scout ring and one silver band with initials IAH on front. Call 6551.

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Iveson Hurls Shutout To Highlight Ruthers, Service Station Slips

Babe Ruth League baseball interest took an upward swing since last report and some pretty good scores were recorded during the full week's play beginning August 17.

The honor of pitching the first shutout in local BRL competition went to Drug Store's husky Tommy Iveson, last year's Little League star. He turned the trick with a nifty two-hitter against Service Station, fanning 11 men en route to his 4-0 victory. Tom whiffed the side in the third and seventh innings. He walked 3 men.

"Ivy" also obtained two hits in 4 tries but batting honors went to his Captain, Mike Canning who drove in two runs with his first inning single. Mike led off the sixth with a booming triple and scored on Bud Moore's perfect squeeze bunt.

Dale White, whose two-bagger was half the hits off Iveson, pitched a great game in defeat. Dale struck out 15 prescriptioners and only gave up 4 hits and 6 walks. Carroll "K" Barcus, a 4K victim of White, made the game's finest fielding play when he raced back of second base on the shortstop side to snag Dicky Taylor's line drive in the fourth inning.

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Drug Store 2 0 0 0 0 2 x-4 4 0

White and D. Taylor; Iveson and M. Canning.

Service Station took an 8 to 3 lead into the last inning in a game with Drug Store the next day, August 18, only to have the Drugmen collect an assorted variety of 5 tallies to tie the game. One extra inning saw Drug Store winning its second game in as many days over the Gas & Oil lads, final score 9 to 8! Each team got 10 hits. Dicky Rock smacked a three-run homer in the top of the seventh to lead Service Station hitters. Rock had 2 hits as did David Goldfaden, Dick Taylor, Dave Flynn and Ted McCord. Tom Iveson and the Canning brothers, Mike and Bob, had two hits each for Drug.

Successive doubles by Mike Canning and Firstsacker Ken Reamy broke the tie in the bottom of the eighth inning. Chuck Clark's luck-assisted, base clearing double featured the score-knotting rally in the 7th.

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Drug St. 0 0 2 1 0 0 5 1-9 10 4

Dick Taylor and White, Flynn (4th); M. Canning and Clark.

Eupermarket won 7 to 6 over Service Station last Thursday to make it three tough losses in a row for the undermanned Grease-monkeys. Wes Hogan, with a triple and single, was the leading hitter as well as winning pitcher for the Food Store. It was Hogan's first hill triumph. Shortstop Ronnie Newman got a two-bagger. Extras-bases for the Service Station went to Dale White and Rick Rock—a triple and double, respectively.

It is now pretty apparent that Scouts Sam Barron, Bill Sandlands and Pete Bowman have been sorely missed by the Service Station team, an early power and contender in the first-half.

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Supermarket 0 0 2 1 4 0 x-7 6 1

White, D. Taylor (4th), Andrusic (6th) and D. Taylor, Andrusic (4th), D. Taylor (6th); Hogan and Powers. Losing Pitcher—Dicky Taylor.

Captain Mike Canning's Drug Store nine solidified its position as a strong contender for the second-half title by blasting Captain Barry Petroff's strong, front-running Variety Store team by a 15-2 score Friday morning. Mike did the clutch pitching and held the usually strong Vareity attack to 4 hits. 2 by Petroff, a single and double. Mike also led his team at bat with a triple and single for 3 RBI's. Little brother Bobby Canning knocked in 2 runs with his pair of singles and Leftfielder Bud Moore on base with 2 singles, scored both times.

Variety Store 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 - 2 4 4

Drug Store 0 0 7 0 1 7 x-15 7 1

Jerry McDonald, Petroff (3rd),

Little Leaguers Wind Up Season

By E. DonBullian

August 14

Indians 4 - Redbirds 3. Good defensive playing by the Redbirds almost brought them their first win of the season over Chet Speziale's National League leaders, but a single by P. Cawley in the top of the sixth with two on scored the tying and winning runs. The game-saving catch by E. Byers in the bottom of the sixth on Bill Page's long fly with Bob Fink on base clinched the game for the Indians. Robert Stone of the Birds had a rough day at the plate; he got hit in the back the first time at bat, but came back in the fourth with a hit to score McCarthy. Winning pitcher, Doug Endres.

August 24

Pirates 10 - Redbirds 6. Although there was a total of seven errors in this game, it was one of the better ball games of the season for both teams, with good hitting on both sides. It was close right up to the last out. Franny Day hit a home run with two on in the second inning for the Pirates. Tharp had a good day with a single and double in three times at bat. Patterson and Tierney also had singles. Joe McNally's single drove in two runs in the first inning. Bob Stone got a triple in the sixth scoring two runs that came within one run of tying up the ball game. The next two batters, however, were unable to bring in that much needed run as Tierney, in relief for Endres, bore down hard and retired the side. McCarthy, Tarut and America hit singles.

August 25

Redbirds 10 - Tigers 2. The Birds closed their schedule with an errorless ball game against the Tigers who only scored two runs. Home runs in the fifth and final innings by McNally of the Birds and Hoffman of the Tigers were washed out as the game was called on account of darkness. A pair of singles by Dean Reese—one in the third and another in the fourth—came with men on base and put the Redbirds out of reach. R. Fink and Billy Ransome of the Birds helped the cause along with singles. Phil Miller hit a well timed single in the second with the bases loaded, driving in Endres and Dalbow who had singled. McCarthy settled down after that and got the next 6 out of 8 batters with Fink singling and Dalbow getting to first when he was hit by a pitched ball.

Andrusic (6th) and Andrusic, J. McDonald (6th). Losing pitcher — Jerry McDonald.

Last week's Babe Ruth League story complimented the fine pitching of Paul McDonald and it should have been Jerry McDonald. We regret the error, although younger brother Paul got quite a kick out of it.

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